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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST

CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Ms. Evelyn Sullivan Freedom of Information Officer United States Environmental Protection Agency Room 2303 John F. Kennedy Federal Building Boston, Massachusetts 02203

> RE: Olin Corporation

Dear Ms. Sullivan:

I hereby request pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. §552, and to 40 C.F.R. Part 2, Subpart A (1984), disclosure from the United States Environmental Protection Agency ("USEPA") of the following materials:

1. All documents relating to any shipments of solid or liquid wastes, oils, sludges, caustics, acids or other materials that Olin Corporation and its predecessor corporations: Olin Mathieson Chemical Corporation, Olin Industries, Inc., Western Cartridge Company and Winchester Repeating Arms Company (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Olin"), transported or had transported to property now or formerly owned by Olin located in Hamden, Connecticut, (hereinafter referred to as the Hamden sites) including but not limited to documents relating to the date of . transportation, the identity of the transporter, the method of transport, the volume or quantity of materials transported;

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- 2. All documents relating to the receipt or arrival at the Hamden sites of any solid or liquid wastes, oils, sludges, caustics, acids, or other materials generated by Olin;
- 3. All documents relating to the treatment, storage, or disposal at the Hamden sites of any solid or liquid wastes, oils, sludges, caustics, acids, or other materials generated by Olin;
- 4. All documents relating to any solid or liquid wastes, oils, sludges, caustics, acids, or other materials generated by Olin which presently exist or are located at the Hamden sites;
- 5. All documents relating to any sampling or analyses or testing of any solid or liquid wastes, oils, sludges, caustics, acids or other materials generated by Olin which presently exist or are located at the Hamden sites;
- 6. All documents which relate to, study, analyze, or project the consequences, effects, or potential effects of the release or threatened release from the Hamden sites of any solid or liquid wastes, oils, sludges, caustics, acids or other materials which presently exist or are located at the Hamden sites;
- 7. All documents which reflect or record the volume or quantity of materials which presently exist or are located at the Hamden sites, including without limitation any documents reflecting or recording the volume or quantity of materials generated by or attributable to individual generators;
- 8. All documents which reflect or record any contracts, agreements, or any other arrangements concerning insurance for any transportation, storage, treatment, or disposal activities at the Hamden sites;
- 9. All notices, if any, filed by Olin with the USEPA pursuant to 42 USC \$9603(c) which pertain to activities occurring at the Hamden sites.

Under present regulations and case law pertaining to the Freedom of Information Act, I believe the materials requested are available to me and to other members of the public as the materials are not exempted from required disclosure under present interpretations of the Act. I believe that USEPA has custody of these documents, but if it does not I request prompt notice of their current location.

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If any portion of this request is deemed denied, I request a detailed statement of the reasons for the withholding and an index or similar statement of the nature of the documents withheld. To expedite this request, I am prepared to discuss specific instances of deletion or other exemption claims in advance of a final decision by USEPA concerning this request. In the event of any deletions, I request that a reason be stated for each partial denial of access.

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act and to 40 C.F.R. Part 2, Subpart A (1984) I promise to pay reasonable charges incurred in searching for and copying the materials requested upon presentation of an invoice along with the finished documents. If search and copying fees exceed \$50.00, please telephone me at (203) 624-9830 to request my agreement to such charges.

I look forward to your response to this report within ten working days.

Sincerely,

Lisa J. Anderson

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cc: Attorney Marilee McSawn